

SITE NUMBER: CW-L6-02
LOCAL NAME: Unnamed
WRIA:

NORTH COAST OFF CHANNEL SITE INVENTORY DATA

RIVER SYSTEM: Clearwater **DATE:** 6/8/88 **OBSERVER:** Nettnin

CHANNEL TYPE: Lower reach of a small valley wall trib.

TRIBUTARY TO: Clearwater River (21.0024)

SITE LOCATION: River mile - 16.0 L.B.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

	UPPER END	LOWER END
WATER TEMP.:	49 F	49 F
AIR TEMP.:	59 F	59 F
FLOW (CFS):	60 - 80 gal/min	60 - 80 gal/min

SUBSTRATE TYPE: Gravel at alluvial fan. Silty gravel and hardpan in the lower reaches.

SITE SIZE: Length- 255 m (Mouth to steep gradient)
Width- 1 - 2 ft
Depth- 1 - 2 inches. Pools to 6 inches

WATER SOURCE: Valley wall trib and springs from the terrace wall.

DIRECTIONS TO SITE: Head north on Highway 101. Turn right 0.9 miles beyond mile post 146 onto the Clearwater Rd. Proceed north 8.4 miles until coming to the Shale Creek bridge. Stay to the right (C-1000) as the road forks just beyond Shale Creek. Then follow site direction map.

FISH ACCESS AND CURRENT USE: No fish were observed here but the channel appears to be accessible. A series of small cascades near the mouth may restrict access at lower flows. The cascade nearest the mouth drops about 3 ft. The others all drop about 1 ft. Moderate river flows should back water over the lower part of the cascades making them passable.

FLOODING POTENTIAL: Low to moderate.

LANDOWNER: Unknown at this time. Probably ITT Rayonier or DNR.

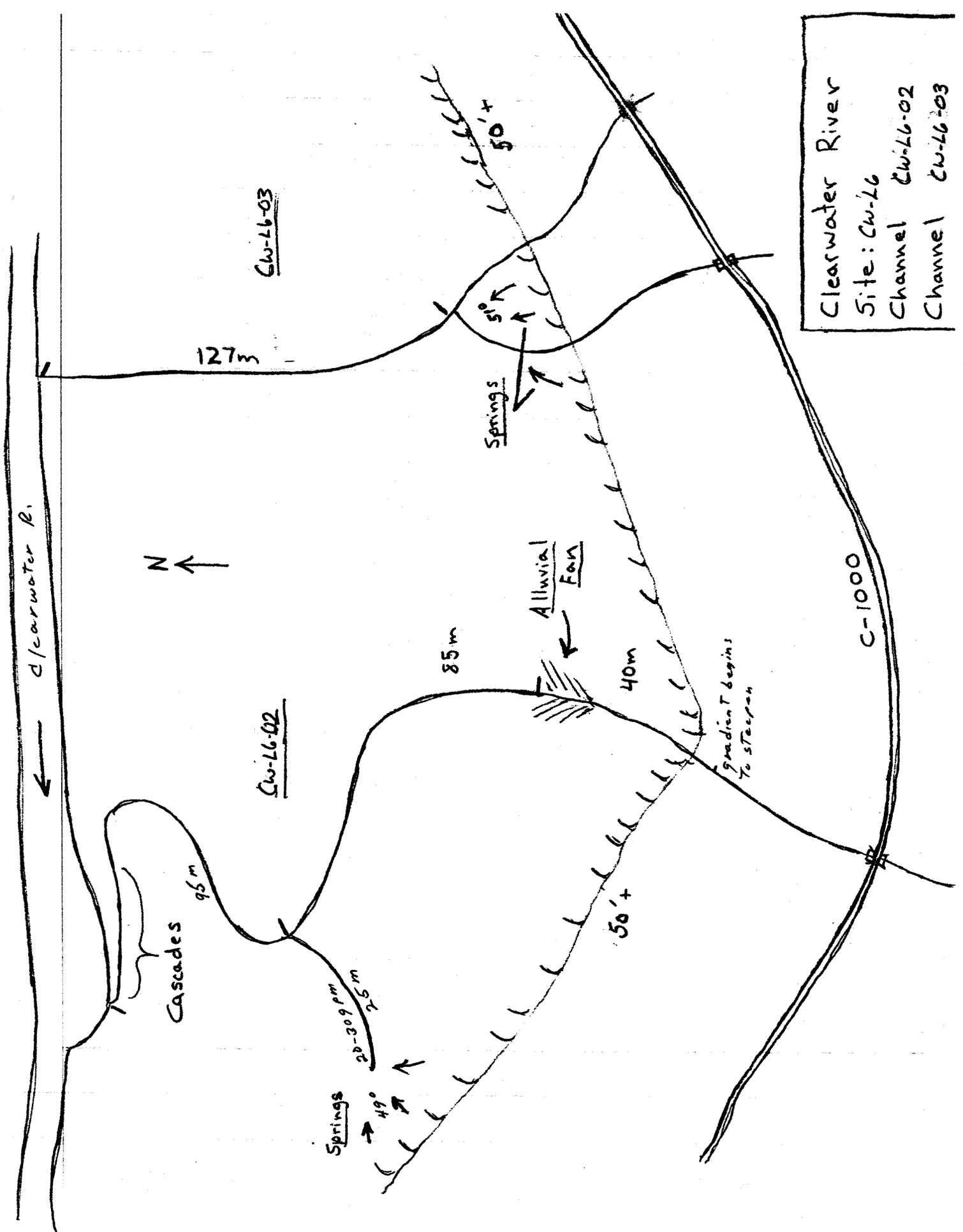
COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS: CW-L6-02 is a rather small system but, according to Peterson's study, fish do use it. It may have potential for a beaded channel and/or small pond.

DATE: 11/30/88

OBSERVER: Nettnin, Young

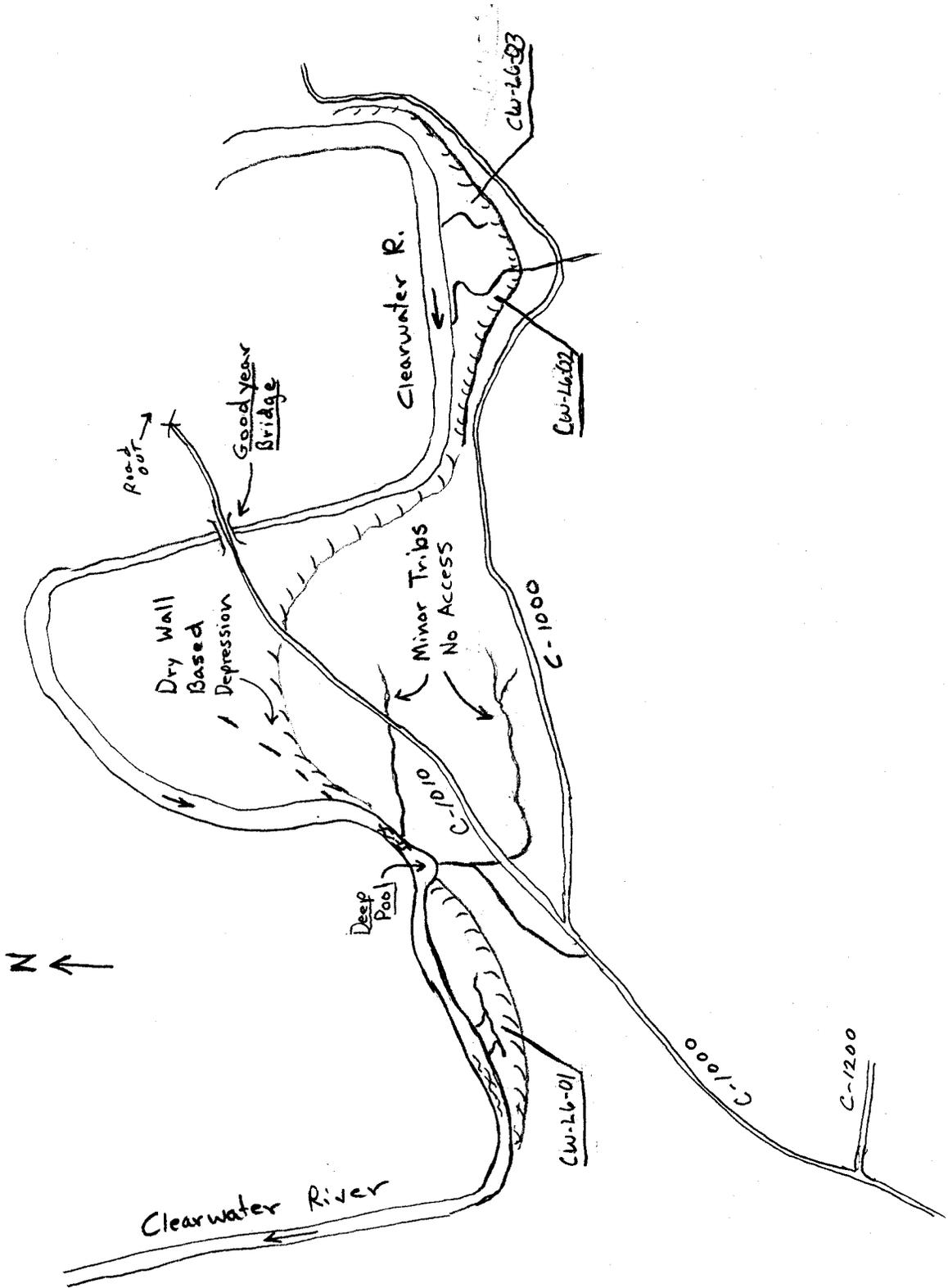
Electroshocked at numerous sites throughout the entire useable length of the channel. Results are listed below:

Area	Effort (Sec.)	Results
1.) Alluvial fan downstream to the cascades near the mouth.	148	Caught 3 trout and rolled 3 other salmonids.
2.) Plunge pool below cascade (i.e. the lower 15 m of the channel).	91	Caught 1 small (50mm) coho and 2 trout. Rolled 3 or 4 other salmonids.

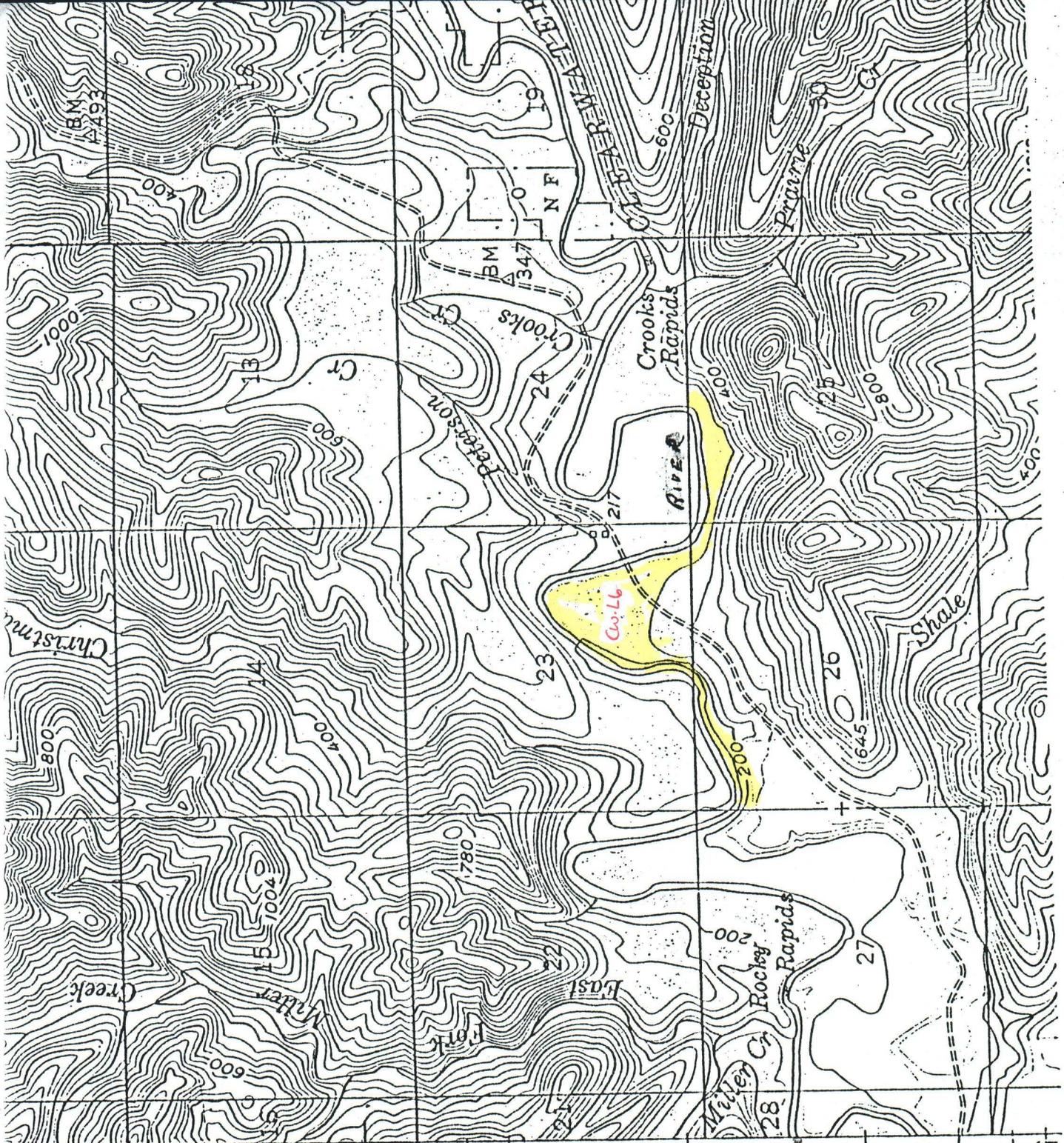


Clearwater River
 Site: CW-L6
 Channel CW-L6-02
 Channel CW-L6-03

Clearwater River
Site: CW-26
Overview Map



Clearwater River Site: CW-L6



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